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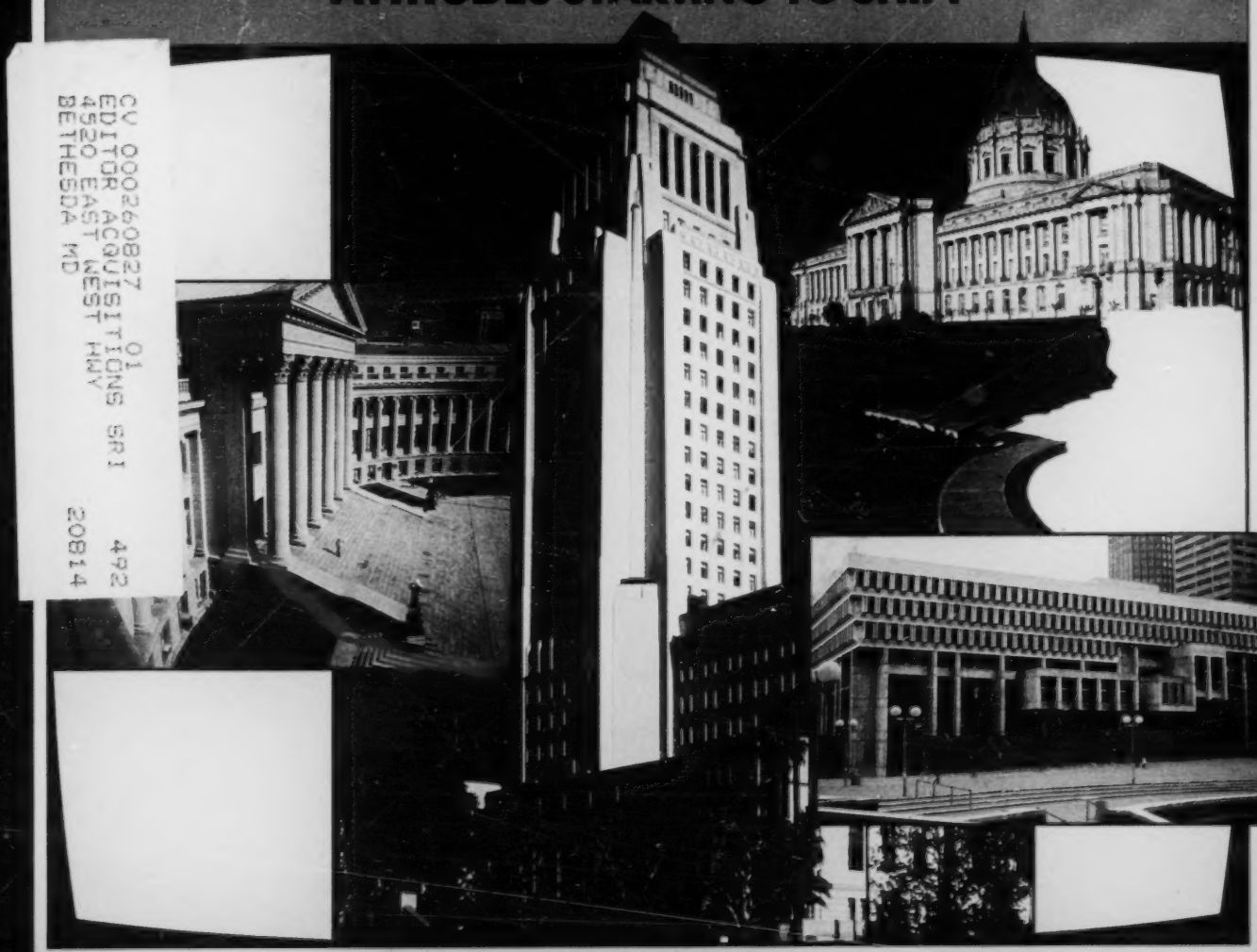

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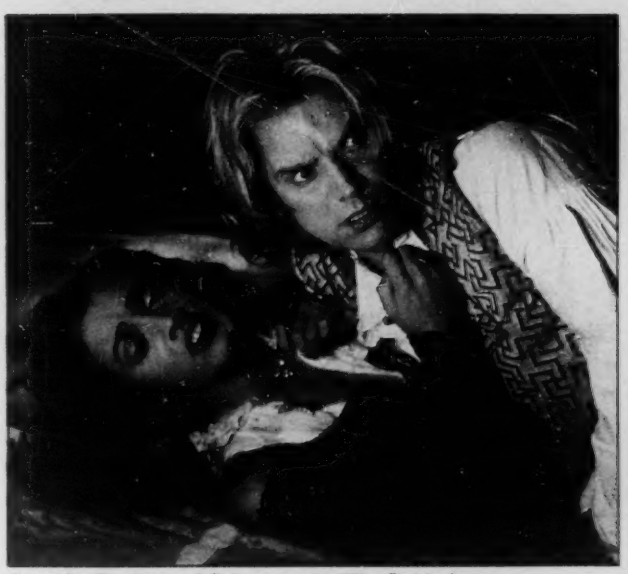
Film	Pay Networks					Distributor
Adventures of a Taxi Driver		ST*				Miramax
Advice to the Lovelorn	(HBO)			HTN		Universal
Airplane!	HBO*				(MAX)	Paramount
Alchemist, The					MAX	Vestron
Amadeus		ST*				Paramount
American Dreamer	(HBO)				MAX	CBS
Angel and The Bad Man					MAX	Hal Roach
Angelo, My Love			TMC*			Film Gallery
Another Country			TMC*			Orion
Antarctica				HTN*	(MAX)	20th Century-Fox
Apology	HBO*					Peregrine
Arthur's Hallowed Ground			TMC			Film Gallery
Avenging Angel	HBO				(MAX)	New World
Awful Truth, The					MAX	Columbia
Baby, Secret of the Lost Legend	(HBO)	ST			MAX	Disney
Bad Manners		ST			MAX	New World
Bad Medicine	HBO		TMC			20th Century-Fox
Beast From 20,000 Fathoms, The			TMC		MAX	Warner Bros.
Best Defense		ST	TMC			Paramount
Beverly Hills Cop		(ST)	TMC			Paramount
Bill of Divorcement, A				HTN		ABC Video
Birdy	HBO				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Bitch, The		ST				Telepictures
Blame It On The Night	HBO*				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Blood Simple	(HBO)		(TMC)		MAX	Circle Releasing
Blow Out		ST			MAX	Orion
Born Free					MAX	Columbia
Bostonians, The			TMC*			Almi
Boys Next Door, The					MAX	New World
Breakfast Club, The	(HBO)		(TMC)		MAX	Universal
Breakin' 2 Electric Boogaloo	HBO				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Bride, The	HBO				(MAX)	Columbia
Brigadoon			(TMC)		MAX	MGM/UA
Born Yesterday					MAX	Columbia
Bringing Up Baby					MAX	RKO
British Rock The First Wave					MAX	Fox/Lorber
Camelot			(TMC)	HTN	(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Candidate, The		(ST)	(TMC)	(HTN)	MAX	Warner Bros.
Cat Ballou					MAX	Columbia
Cat's Eye				HTN		MGM/UA
Choose Me	HBO		(TMC)			Lorimar
Chorus Line, A					MAX	Columbia
Christmas Story, A		ST	TMC			MGM/UA
City Lights	HBO			(HTN)		Atlantic
City Limits		ST				Atlantic
Clairvoyant, The	HBO		(TMC)			20th Century-Fox
Cocoon	HBO	ST	TMC		MAX	20th Century-Fox
Comfort and Joy	HBO	(ST)		(HTN)		Universal
Compromising Positions		ST*				Paramount
Continental Divide			TMC	HTN	MAX	Universal
Deadly Eyes			TMC			Warner Bros.
Deadly Force			(TMC)		MAX	Embassy
Death Wish III		ST*				Cannon
Deja Vu	HBO				(MAX)	Cannon
Desperately Seeking Susan	(HBO)			HTN*		Orion
Desperate Search			TMC			MGM/UA
Die Laughing				HTN		Warner Bros.
Dogs			TMC			Viacom
Double Man, The			(TMC)	HTN		Warner Bros.
Dreamchild					MAX	Thorn-EMI
Dummy					MAX	Warner Bros.
Ellie					MAX	Troma
Empire Strikes Back, The	(HBO)	ST	(TMC)	(HTN)		Lucasfilm
Excalibur		(ST)	(TMC)		MAX*	Warner Bros.
Final Option, The	HBO*		TMC*			MGM/UA
Finian's Rainbow	HBO		(TMC)			Warner Bros.
Fire In The Stone			TMC*	(HTN)		Tolchin Films
Flamingo Kid, The	(HBO)		(TMC)	(HTN)	MAX*	Universal
Flashpoint	HBO				(MAX)	Silver Screen
Fletch	(HBO)		TMC	(HTN)	(MAX)	Universal
Forever, Darling	(HBO)		(TMC)		MAX	MGM/UA
Four Seasons, The			(TMC)	HTN	MAX	Universal
Free Spirit	HBO					Brenner
Gang That Couldn't Shoot Straight, The		(ST)	TMC			MGM/UA
Get Crazy			TMC			Embassy
Ghoulies	HBO				(MAX)	Vestron
Goonies, The	HBO				MAX	Warner Bros.
Gotcha			(TMC)	HTN*	(MAX)	Universal



Jennifer Beales and Sting star in 'The Bride.'

Film	Pay Networks					Distributor
Grease	HBO	(ST)	TMC*		(MAX)	Paramount
Great Caruso, The					MAX	MGM/UA
Great Expectations		ST			MAX	New Century
Gremlins	(HBO)	ST*	TMC*		MAX*	Warner Bros.
Gunn			TMC*			Paramount
Hambone and Hillie	(HBO)	ST	(TMC)	HTN	MAX	New World
Hardcore					MAX	Columbia
Hasty Heart, The			TMC		MAX	Warner Bros.
Hearts and Armour					MAX	Warner Bros.
Heated Vengeance			TMC		(MAX)	Transcon
Hollywood Ghost Stories			TMC*			Castle Hill
Home Movies	HBO					Satori
Hotel	(HBO)			HTN		Warner Bros.
Hundra			TMC			Goldfarb
Indiscretions of An American Wife				HTN		ABC Video
Insignificance			TMC			Lorimar
Into The Night			TMC		(MAX)	Universal
Irreconcilable Differences	HBO	(ST)	TMC	(HTN)	(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Isaac Little Feathers		ST				International Media
It All Came True			TMC			MGM/UA
I Thank A Fool			TMC			MGM/UA
Jaws		ST	TMC	HTN	MAX	Universal
Johnny Dangerously	HBO		(TMC)		(MAX)	20th Century-Fox
Just The Way You Are			TMC*	(HTN)	MAX*	MGM/UA
Key Exchange	(HBO)		(TMC)		MAX	20th Century-Fox
Kidco	HBO		TMC	HTN	(MAX)	20th Century-Fox
Killing Fields, The		(ST)	(TMC)		MAX	Warner Bros.
King In New York, A				HTN*		20th Century-Fox
King Kong					MAX	RKO
King of the Jungle				HTN		Universal
King Solomon's Mines		ST				Cannon
Krush Groove					MAX	Warner Bros.
Last Romantic Lover, The	(HBO)				MAX	New Line
Last Run, The		ST				MGM/UA
Lavender Hill Mob, The			TMC			New Century
Legend of Billie Jean, The	HBO				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Lianna			TMC			David Armstrong
Little Darlings					MAX*	Paramount
Looker			TMC*			Warner Bros.
Lovelines	(HBO)				MAX	Tri-Star
Love Scenes					MAX*	Playboy
Lunch Wagon			TMC			Seymour Borde
Macaroni		ST				Paramount
Mad Max Beyond Thunderdome	(HBO)	(ST)	(TMC)		MAX*	Warner Bros.
Major Barbara		ST	(TMC)			New Century
Man In The Wilderness	(HBO)			HTN		Warner Bros.
Man Who Saw Tomorrow, The	(HBO)			HTN	(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Mass Appeal	HBO		(TMC)	(HTN)		Universal
Matter of Life And						

Film	Pay Networks					Distributor
Death, A	HBO					Lorimar
Megaforce					MAX	Galaxy
Minstrel Man		ST				Viacom
Mishima					MAX	Warner Bros.
Missing In Action	(HBO)	ST	(TMC)		(MAX)	Cannon
Mistress Pamela		ST				Intercontinental
Model Behavior		(ST)			MAX	Ho-Tel
Mothers Against Drunk Drivers	(HBO)			HTN		Universal
Movers and Shakers	HBO					MGM/UA
Murphy's Romance					MAX	Columbia
Music Man, The			TMC			Warner Bros.
My Man Adam					MAX	Tri-Star
My Science Project	(HBO)	ST*	(TMC)			Walt Disney
1984	(HBO)		(TMC)		MAX	Atlantic
Nancy Goes To Rio			TMC*			MGM/UA
National Lampoon's European Vacation		(ST)	(TMC)		MAX	Warner Bros.
Never Let Me Go		ST				MGM/UA
Never To Love				HTN		ABC Video
New Kids, The					MAX	Columbia
New Maverick, The					MAX	Warner Bros.
New York Nights					MAX	International Talent
Night of the Comet		(ST)	TMC*	(HTN)	(MAX)	Atlantic
Night Patrol	(HBO)					New World
Night School		ST*				Lorimar
Ninja Wars		ST				Muller Media
No Small Affair	HBO				(MAX)	Columbia
Nutcracker	HBO*	(ST)				Almi
Oh, God! Book II				HTN		Warner Bros.
Oh God, You Devil!	(HBO)	ST		(HTN)	(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Once Bitten	HBO					Goldwyn
One On One	HBO					Warner Bros.
Our Time					MAX	Warner Bros.
Out of Control					MAX	New World
Outrage, The		ST				MGM/UA
Painted Hills, The		ST				MGM/UA
Police Academy II	(HBO)	(ST)	TMC			Warner Bros.
Polly of the Circus		ST				MGM/UA
Porky's II The Next Day	HBO		(TMC)		(MAX)	20th Century-Fox
Power	HBO					Lorimar
Power and the Prize, The			TMC			MGM/UA
Prime Risk	HBO*					Almi
Prisoner of War		(ST)	TMC			MGM/UA
Protocol	HBO	(ST)	(TMC)	HTN*	(MAX)	Universal
Q	HBO					UFD
Quinn's, The		ST				J. Phillips
Rambo First Blood Part II	HBO*				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Razorback	(HBO)		TMC		(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Real Genius	HBO				(MAX)	Tri-Star
Red Light String, The			TMC		MAX	New Century
Red Shoes			TMC		MAX	20th Century-Fox
Red Sonja		ST	TMC			TBS
Remains To Be Seen		ST				MGM/UA
Remember the Day					MAX	20th Century-Fox
Richard Pryor Live In Concert			TMC			Gary Biller
River, The	HBO	(ST)		(HTN)	(MAX)	Universal
River Rat, The			TMC			Paramount
Roadhouse 66	HBO		TMC*		(MAX)	Altantic
Rock & Rule	(HBO)		TMC*			MGM/UA
Royal Wedding	(HBO)	ST	(TMC)			MGM/UA
Rubber Tarzan			TMC			Janus Films
Ruby Gentry				HTN		ABC Video
Runaway	HBO*					Tri-Star
St. Elmo's Fire	(HBO)				MAX	Columbia
Second Hand Hearts	HBO*	(ST)				Lorimar
Second Time Lucky			TMC		(MAX)	Goldfarb
Serial			TMC		MAX	Paramount
Sesame Street Presents Follow That Bird	(HBO)	(ST)	TMC			Warner Bros.
Shaker Run	HBO					Goldwyn
She's Working Her Way Through College					MAX	Warner Bros.
Shooting Parting, The			TMC*			Gavin Film
Silver Bullet		ST*	(TMC)			Paramount
Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger	HBO					Columbia
Snow Bunnies					MAX	Satori
S.O.B.			TMC		MAX	Lorimar
Soldier's Story, A	HBO*				(MAX)	Columbia
Some Kind of Hero		ST	(TMC)		(MAX)	Paramount
Stalking Moon, The			(TMC)	HTN	(MAX)	Warner Bros.
Steel	(HBO)			HTN*	MAX	World Northal
Stop, You're Killing Me		ST				Warner Bros.
Stranger Than Paradise			TMC			Goldwyn
Stud, The		ST*				Telepictures
Superman		(ST)	(TMC)		MAX*	Warner Bros.
Sword of Gideon	HBO					I.C.C.

Eddie Murphy stars in 'Beverly Hills Cop.'

Film	Pay Networks					Distributor
28 Up			TMC			Granada TV
2010	(HBO)	(ST)		HTN*	(MAX)	MGM/UA
Talk to Me				HTN*		Atlantic
Tartars, The		ST				MGM/UA
Target	HBO					Warner Bros.
Teachers	HBO	(ST)	(TMC)		(MAX)	MGM/UA
Threshold					MAX	20th Century-Fox
Time After Time					MAX	Warner Bros.
Time Bomb				HTN	(MAX)	Universal
To Live and Die In L.A.	HBO					United Artists
Topaze				HTN		ABC Video
Trancers	(HBO)		TMC		(MAX)	Vestron
Toy Soldiers			TMC*			New World
Twentieth Century					MAX	Columbia
Unfinished Journey of Robert Frances Kennedy, The				HTN	MAX	Universal
Victor Victoria	HBO	ST	(TMC)		(MAX)	MGM/UA
View To A Kill, A	(HBO)			HTN*	(MAX)	MGM/UA
Warning Sign	(HBO)		TMC		MAX	20th Century-Fox
Wedding, A			TMC			20th Century-Fox
Weird Science					MAX	Universal
Whirlpool	HBO					WW Enter.
Wholly Moses!	HBO					Columbia
Wild Life, The		ST	TMC*		(MAX)	Universal
Witness		ST				Paramount
Young Man With A Horn			TMC			Warner Bros.
Zachariah			TMC			Viacom
Zapped	(HBO)				MAX	Embassy
Year of the Dragon		ST				MGM/UA

Cable Network Legend:
HBO-Home Box Office
ST-Showtime
TMC-The Movie Channel
HTN-Home Theater Network
MAX-Cinemax

- Networks in parentheses indicate carriage in June, July, August, September and/or October.
- An asterisk indicates the film is a carry-over from June, July, August, September and/or October.
- In total, 236 films appear on the September schedules of Home Box Office, Showtime, The Movie Channel, Home Theater Network and Cinemax. Of those titles, during the last six months, three have played on all five services, 17 have played on four of the five services, 33 have played on three services and 60 have played on two of the five services. One hundred and twenty-three titles were unduplicated in the last six months.
- The motion picture distributor with the most titles on pay TV in November is Warner Bros. with 39, followed by MGM/UA with 29, Universal with 19, Columbia with 15, and Paramount and Twentieth Century-Fox with 14 each.
- Titles subject to change.

Cable Industry Growth Chart

YEAR	TVHH	Homes Passed	Basic Subscribers	% of TVHH	Pay Subscribers	% of TVHH
1990E	93,900,000	81,783,000	50,706,000	54	32,959,000	35
1989E	92,800,000	79,109,000	48,256,000	52	30,883,000	33
1988E	91,000,000	75,833,000	45,500,000	50	28,665,000	32
1987E	89,300,000	71,137,000	41,971,000	47	26,022,000	30
1986E	87,800,000	68,121,000	39,510,000	45	24,101,000	27
1985	86,304,000	64,571,000	36,120,000	42	21,672,000	25
1984	84,600,000	59,989,000	32,994,000	39	19,764,000	23
1983	83,500,000	53,641,000	30,300,000	36	17,877,000	21
1982	82,800,000	49,100,000	28,200,000	34	15,898,000	19
1981	80,700,000	44,000,000	22,596,000	28	11,804,000	15
1980	77,800,000	37,300,000	18,672,000	24	7,780,000	10
1979	76,300,000	32,700,000	16,023,000	21	5,341,000	7
1978	74,500,000	27,200,000	14,155,000	19	2,980,000	4
1977	73,300,000	24,894,000	13,194,000	18	1,466,000	2
1976	71,114,000	21,989,000	12,094,000	17	505,000	1
1975	69,600,000	19,900,000	11,136,000	16	N/A	N/A

Source: CableProFile Data Base, INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH.

Cable barometer

Television households (TVHH) 86,304,000

Homes passed by cable (HP).....64,571,000

Percent of TVHH passed by cable 74.7%

Basic cable subs 36,120,000

Percent of TVHH with basic cable 41.8%

Percent of HP with basic cable 56.0%

Pay cable subs 21,672,000

Percent of TVHH with pay cable.....25.1%

Percent of HP with pay cable.....33.6%

Percent of basic subs with pay cable 60.0%

Source: CableProFile Data Base, INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS RESEARCH.

Satellite lineup

Satcom III-R (RCA Americom)

	Transponder
Arts & Entertainment	24
BET	20
CBN Cable Network	5
Cable Radio Network	4
Cable Value Network	18
Cinemax (West)	23
ESPN (Blackout)	7
Eternal Word Television Network	12
Financial News Network	4
Genesis Storytime	8
HBO (West)	13
HSN2	2, 16
HTN	16
Home Shopping Network	22
The Learning Channel	2
Lifetime	17
MTV	11
National Jewish Television	18
Nickelodeon	1
PTL	2
Reuter Monitor Service	18
Showtime (West)	10
Studioline	19
Tempo Television	6
TV Decisions	24
Trinity Broadcasting Network	3
Video Hits One	15
Viewer's Choice	5
The Weather Channel	21

Satcom IV (RCA Americom)

	Transponder
American Movie Classics	10
American Music & Entertainment Network	15
Biznet	6
Bravo	2
Consumer Discount Network	20, 24
Hit Video USA	18
Home Sports Entertainment	11
Home Team Sports	22
Innovations In Living (HSN2)	1
Liberty Broadcasting Network	7
Madison Square Garden	6
New England Sports Network	13
Nickelodeon (West)	4
Nostalgia Channel	21
The Playboy Channel	24
Pratco TV Shopper's Showcase	14
Prime Ticket	20
Rock Christian Network	3
The Silent Network	23V
SportsVision	8
WPIX--New York	19

Westar III (Western Union)

	Transponder
CNN	5

Westar V (Western Union)

	Transponder
Fantasy Unrestricted Network (FUN)	24
FUN Weekend Pay-per-view	24
Pro-Am Sports System (PASS)	14
The University Network	2

Telstar 303 (AT&T)

	Transponder
American Extasy	19
Country Music Television (CMTV)	18
KTVT (Dallas)	22
SelecTV	13

Galaxy I (Hughes)

	Transponder
Alternate View Network	22
CBN Cable Network	11
Cinemax (East)	19
CNN	7
C-SPAN	13
The Discovery Channel	22
The Disney Channel (East)	4
(West)	24
EPG	3
ESPN	9
GalaVision	20
HBO (East)	23
Headline News	8
Keyfax National Teletext Magazine	18
Moody Broadcasting Network	3
The Movie Channel (East)	10
(West)	14
The Nashville Network	2
PTL	17
Request Television	12
Seeburg Adult Contemporary	3
Seeburg Contemporary Instrumental	3
Showtime (East)	5
SIN	6
Studioline	13
Viewer's Choice 2	16
WGN	3
WOR-TV	15
WTBS	18

Note: A company name in parentheses following a service or network designates the transponder owner.
Source: International Thomson Communications Inc.

Top 100 MSOs

Rank	Multiple system operator	Basic subs	
1.	Tele-Communications Inc.	3,778,621	(11/85)
2.	American Television and Communications Corp.	2,700,000	(12/85)
3.	Group W Cable	2,162,000	(10/85)
4.	Storer Cable Communications	1,536,000	(8/86)
5.	Cox Cable Communications	1,330,956	(8/86)
6.	Warner Cable Communications Inc.	1,258,945	(6/86)
7.	Continental Cablevision	1,198,000	(6/86)
*8.	Comcast	1,095,194	(8/86)
9.	United Cable	1,027,602	(7/86)
10.	Newhouse Broadcasting	972,377	(4/86)
11.	Viacom Cablevision	930,000	(9/86)
12.	Times Mirror Cable Television Inc.	822,669	(6/86)
13.	Jones Intercable	763,165	(9/86)
14.	UA Cablesystems Corp.	735,431	(2/86)
15.	Heritage Communications Inc.	725,567	(8/86)
16.	Sammons Communications Inc.	708,609	(12/85)
17.	Cablevision Co.	607,335	(8/86)
18.	Rogers Cablesystems Inc.	534,241	(6/86)
19.	Telecable Corp.	467,941	(3/86)
20.	Prime Cable Corp.	413,000	(7/86)
*21.	Daniels & Associates	408,421	(7/86)
22.	McCaw Communications	383,000	(7/86)
23.	Cable Vision Industries	367,700	(8/86)
24.	Post-Newsweek	361,754	(7/86)
25.	Wometco Cable TV Inc.	354,283	(7/86)
26.	Centel Cable	354,051	(6/86)
27.	Scripps-Howard	335,647	(7/86)
28.	American Cablesystems Corp.	323,187	(4/86)
29.	Century Communications Corp.	318,060	(12/85)
30.	Falcon Cable	302,000	(6/86)
31.	Multimedia Cablevision	279,125	(9/86)
32.	TCA Group	278,404	(8/86)
33.	Colony Communications Inc.	242,956	(6/86)
34.	Maclean Hunter Cable TV Ltd.	241,297	(6/86)
35.	Tele-Media	215,000	(7/86)
36.	Adelphia Communications	212,660	(6/86)
37.	Rollins Cableview Inc.	210,500	(6/86)
38.	Service Electric Cable TV Inc.	195,000	(7/86)
39.	TCI-Taft	181,745	(6/86)
40.	TKR Cable Co.	181,000	(9/86)
41.	Communications Service Inc.	179,900	(2/85)
42.	Western Communications	175,502	(7/86)
43.	Cablentertainment	171,564	(9/86)
44.	Sutton Capital Corp.	166,561	(2/86)
45.	Rifkin & Associates	160,000	(8/86)
46.	Adams-Russell Communications	151,449	(5/86)
47.	Cencom Cable	151,279	(6/86)
48.	Harte-Hanks Communications	146,813	(8/86)
49.	Harron Communications	127,827	(7/86)
50.	Buckeye Cablevision	126,047	(4/86)
51.	Lenfest Group	125,731	(2/86)
52.	Greater Media Cable	124,662	(3/86)
53.	Televents Inc.	123,584	(7/86)
54.	Harris Cable Corp.	122,904	(8/86)
55.	Armstrong Utilities	121,509	(7/86)
56.	Palmer Communications	118,013	(7/86)
57.	First Carolina Communications Inc.	117,469	(7/86)
58.	Summit Communications	111,982	(8/86)
59.	Sonic Communications	110,000	(7/86)
60.	Media General Inc.	107,440	(2/86)
61.	The Essex Group	105,166	(5/86)
62.	Scott Cable Communications	105,000	(3/86)
63.	U.S. Cable Corp.	103,026	(8/86)
64.	Multi-Channel TV Cable Inc.	101,874	(4/86)
65.	Booth Communications	97,671	(7/86)
66.	Simmons Communications	96,991	(7/86)
67.	King Videocable	91,953	(8/86)
68.	Perry Cable TV Corp.	91,306	(8/86)
69.	McDonald Group	90,079	(8/84)
70.	WEHCO Video	84,840	(7/86)
71.	Columbia Associates	80,000	(7/86)
72.	Midcontinent Cable Systems Co.	79,790	(9/86)
73.	Marcus Communications	77,431	(8/86)
74.	Pencor Services	74,868	(8/86)
75.	Northland Communications	74,400	(8/86)
76.	Omega Communications	74,213	(6/86)
77.	Susquehanna Broadcasting	72,235	(1/86)
78.	Selkirk Communications	62,000	(2/86)
79.	National Telecommunications Corp.	61,625	(1/86)
80.	The Daily Press	60,100	(6/86)
81.	Acton Corp.	56,337	(8/86)
82.	Helicon Corp.	55,000	(2/86)
83.	Mountain Cable Co.	55,000	(4/86)
84.	Masada Corp.	53,237	(7/86)
85.	Cardinal Communications	53,200	(7/86)
86.	United Video Management	52,816	(6/86)
87.	Communicom	52,801	(7/86)
88.	Wisconsin Cablevision and Radio Co.	50,083	(7/86)
89.	Chambers Cable Comm. Inc.	48,643	(4/86)
90.	State Cable TV	45,922	(3/86)
91.	Joseph Gans Cable TV	45,679	(6/86)
92.	Bresnan Communications Co.	44,426	(8/86)
93.	New England Cablevision	42,978	(5/86)
94.	Dowden Communications	42,865	(7/86)
95.	Donrey Cablevision	42,275	(8/86)
96.	Marsh Media	38,097	(7/86)
97.	North American Comm. Corp.	37,710	(6/86)
98.	Benchmark Communications Inc.	35,000	(8/86)
99.	Gateway Cablevision Corp.	34,694	(2/86)
100.	Enstar Communications	32,863	(8/86)

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Top 100 systems

Rank	Location	Operator	Basic subs	
1.	San Diego, CA	Cox Cable	270,256	(8/86)
2.	Woodbury (Long Island), NY	Cablevision Co.	249,600	(8/86)
3.	Manhattan, NY	ATC	219,600	(12/85)
4.	San Antonio, TX	Rogers	199,359	(6/86)
5.	Houston, TX	Warner	193,522	(6/86)
6.	East Orange, NJ	Maclean Hunter	184,198	(6/86)
7.	Honolulu, HI	ATC	164,300	(12/85)
8.	Seattle/Snohomish, WA	Viacom	163,000	(9/86)
9.	Hartford/New Britain, CT	United Cable	153,570	(7/86)
10.	Cincinnati, OH	Warner	151,273	(6/86)
11.	Louisville/Jeff. Co., KY	Storer Communications	149,000	(9/86)
12.	Wayne, NJ	UA Cablesystems	147,617	(8/86)
13.	Phoenix, AZ	Times Mirror	144,328	(6/86)
14.	Tulsa, OK	United Cable	140,333	(6/86)
15.	Englewood, CO	United Cable	138,285	(8/86)
16.	Tidewater (Norfolk), VA	Cox Cable	135,076	(8/86)
17.	Cherry Hills, NJ	NYT	133,316	(5/86)
18.	Florida Division (Orlando/Ormond Beach)	ATC	128,100	(12/85)
19.	Seattle, WA	Group W	127,000	(5/86)
20.	Atlanta, GA	Prime Cable Corp.	125,319	(5/86)
21.	Jacksonville, FL	Continental	124,000	(6/86)
22.	Rochester, NY	ATC	123,500	(12/85)
23.	Baltimore County, MD	Comcast	121,981	(8/86)
24.	Erie County, NY	Prime Cable Corp.	119,002	(11/85)
25.	Manhattan, NY	Group W	115,000	(5/86)
26.	Kansas City, MO	ATC	114,600	(12/85)
27.	St. Louis Co., MO	Cencom Cable	111,063	(1/86)
28.	San Jose, CA	Gill Industries	110,000	(5/86)
30.	Austin, TX	ATC	109,700	(12/85)
31.	Central Islip (Long Island), NY	Viacom	109,000	(9/86)
32.	Memphis, TN	ATC	106,900	(12/85)
33.	San Juan, PR	Harris Cable Corp.	104,199	(8/86)
34.	Toledo, OH	Buckeye Cablevision	103,982	(4/86)
35.	Los Angeles, CA	Falcon	103,869	(4/86)
36.	San Francisco, CA	Viacom	100,000	(9/86)
37.	Jefferson Parish/Kenner, LA	Cox Cable	97,788	(8/86)
38.	Fairfax, VA	Media General	97,420	(2/86)
39.	Warren, NJ	TKR	97,348	(9/86)
40.	Southeast Michigan	Comcast	96,250	(8/86)
41.	Wilmington, DE	Rollins Cableview	93,000	(6/86)
42.	San Diego, CA	ATC	92,200	(12/85)
43.	Grand Rapids, MI	UA Cablesystems	89,868	(8/86)
44.	Pompano, FL	American Cablesystems	88,440	(4/86)
45.	Richmond/Henrico, VA	Continental	85,000	(6/86)
46.	Pittsburgh, PA	Tele-Communications Inc.	84,517	(6/86)
47.	Dallas, TX	Heritage	84,442	(8/86)
48.	Dade/Broward, FL	Storer	84,000	(8/86)
49.	Wichita, KS	Multimedia Cablevision	83,729	(9/86)
50.	Jackson/Monroe, MS	ATC	82,500	(12/85)
51.	Indianapolis, IN	Indianapolis Cablevision Inc.	80,969	(5/86)
52.	Charlotte, NC	ATC	78,700	(12/85)
53.	Clearwater, FL	Vision Cable	78,600	(7/85)
54.	Puget Sound, WA	Viacom	78,000	(9/86)
55.	Raleigh, N.C.	ATC	77,600	(12/85)
56.	South Texas, TX	Heritage	76,654	(8/86)
57.	Baton Rouge, LA	Cablevision Co.	76,518	(12/85)
58.	Tacoma, WA	Cable TV of Puget Sound	76,132	(5/86)
59.	Boston, MA	Cablevision	76,000	(8/86)
60.	New Orleans, LA	Cox Cable	75,162	(8/86)
61.	Chicago, IL	Group W	75,000	(4/86)
62.	Flint, MI	Comcast Cable	74,933	(8/86)
63.	Greensboro, N.C.	ATC	74,100	(12/85)
64.	Santa Monica, CA	Group W	74,000	(5/86)
65.	South Bend, IN	Heritage	70,710	(8/86)
66.	Las Vegas, NV	Prime	70,091	(5/86)
67.	Cleveland Heights, OH	Viacom	70,000	(9/86)
68.	Allentown, PA	Service Elec.	70,000	(7/86)
69.	Fayetteville, NC	ATC	69,000	(9/86)
70.	Orange County, CA	Times Mirror	68,323	(6/86)
71.	Omaha, NE	Cox Cable	67,400	(8/86)
72.	Boston Complex (Medford), MA	Warner	67,245	(6/86)
73.	Akron, OH	Warner	66,501	(6/86)
74.	Nashville, TN	Viacom	66,426	(5/86)
75.	Ocean County, NJ	Adelphia	66,051	(6/86)
76.	Little Rock, AR	Storer	66,000	(8/86)
77.	Columbus, OH	Warner	64,679	(3/85)
78.	St. Petersburg, FL	Group W	64,478	(5/86)
79.	Syracuse (suburbs), NY	NewChannels Corp.	64,065	(9/86)
80.	Indianapolis, IN	ATC	64,000	(12/85)
81.	Buffalo, NY	Tele-Communications Inc.	63,898	(8/85)
82.	Des Moines, IA	Heritage	63,550	(8/86)
83.	Monterey, CA	Western Communications	63,429	(6/86)
84.	New Haven, CT	Storer	63,000	(8/86)
85.	Madison, WI	Tele-Communications Inc.	62,099	(5/86)
86.	El Paso, TX	Group W	62,000	(9/86)
87.	Oklahoma City, OK	Cox Cable	62,788	(8/86)
88.	Greater Bridgeport, CT	Cablevision Co.	61,620	(8/86)
89.	Santa Barbara, CA	Cox Cable	61,186	(8/86)
90.	Contra Costa Co. CA	Televents	61,000	(5/86)
91.	Sarasota, FL	Storer	61,000	(8/86)
92.	W. San Fernando Valley, CA	Valley Cable	60,866	(8/86)
93.	Lower Fairfield Co., CT	Cablevision Co.	60,650	(8/86)
94.	Winston-Salem, N.C.	Summit	60,481	(8/86)
95.	Mt. Prospect, IL	Cablenet	60,000	(3/85)
96.	Albany, GA	Storer	60,000	(8/86)
97.	Birmingham, AL	ATC	59,400	(12/84)
98.	Escondido, CA	Times Mirror	59,305	(6/86)
99.	Ft. Worth, TX	Sammons Communications	59,000	(7/85)
100.	Oakland County, MI	United Cable	59,000	(10/85)